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Most conveniently located. Healthy. Prices and terms of payment reasonable. Apply A.R. The Mail Office.

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## Provincial and Territorial.

A. A. Titus, of Napkins, has sold to J. B. Clapp here the registered Durham bull, Duke of Brandon, bred at Penketh stock farm. Ben has also bought from J. A. McMillan, Brandon, an imported Shorthorn ram.

The M. & N. W. Ry. is in arrears to the provincial government, in interest on loans, and from the fact that officials of the latter are now inspecting the lands of the company, it is thought that some arrangement is in progress whereby the government will accept the lands either in payment or as collateral security.

About two weeks ago, Thos. Hollinger, of Pipestone Municipality, shipped out to the States after selling all his grain and hay here, taking with him some horses which Simpson Bros. had a share in. The horses were now in Wisconsin and he was to disgorge the amount due. Far too many of our honest (?) farmers are in the habit of doing this kind of thing, and it is a pity that more of them are not brought to book.

On Monday a fire broke out in the hay marsh south of Virden, and resulted disastrously to a large number of farmers having hay in stack. Fully one thousand tons were destroyed, among the sufferers being Messrs. D. McIntosh, W. McIntosh, Robert Brown, David Brown, Chas. Brown, S. Sparrow, Wm. Burge, Geo. Badger, Thos. Giles, E. House, H. Maxfield, Simpson Bros., Mrs. Giles, Mrs. Coughlin. The origin of the fire is a mystery and there were a number of farmers looking hay in the marsh at the time it started, but no one is as yet able to locate the person who started the fire.

A very high wind prevailed and those who were lighting the fire state that it travelled with wonderful velocity and strength. Should the party who willfully set out to burn a fire be apprehended an example should be made of him that would be a warning for all future time.

Virden Chas. is a practical sympathy and charity came under our notice last Saturday, during the progress of one of those unfortunate, too frequent occurrences viz a bull sale. A horse was being sold by auctioneer, Thos. Moore, and the only bid made for the animal was \$5. Mr. Geo. Cook, who was in the crowd, remarked that it was a shame to see a poor farmer's stock going for such prices. Well, said the auctioneer, it is, you give me \$5, and I will see that the horse is returned to the former owner. Mr. Cook, without further ado, drew out a five dollar bill, handed it to the auctioneer and ordered that the horse be sent home to the farmer. Mr. Moore also showed his sympathy by paying the expenses of keeping the horse since it was brought into town. It is often in the most unexpected places that true sympathy is found, and this kind of act is a beautiful example of the true ring of brotherly love and friendship.

Mr. George McIntosh, of Oak River, is purchasing live hogs for S. V. Griffin Co's packing house Winnipeg. His main shipping points are Oak River and Rapid City the latter Wednesday in each month. But a permanent market for live hogs has been established should be a cause for congratulation among the farmers, and those who have not already turned their attention to the hog industry should do so without delay. The difficulty in procuring the proper stock in sufficient quantity has been a serious drawback. Mr. J. H. Martin, for some years past, has been engaged in raising thoroughbred Berkshire, and the hope he has disposed of has given good satisfaction. The sale of Shanks Bros. on the 15th of Dec. next (full particulars of which will appear in these columns) will be a rare chance for farmers not already in this line, to begin an industry that is certain to be profitable.

**WERE THEY MURDERED.**  
GLENGORNO, Nov. 16.—Joseph and Edgar Pocock came to Glenboro in the spring of 1888 and worked with farmers for three years. They were careful, steady boys and were aged respectively 19 and 21. In March of 1892 they rented a farm from John McDonald, four miles east of Glenboro, with everything required on a 300 acre farm. The only claim against them was a chattel mortgage on one of their four horses. Last and this year's were good and they paid all their debts. On the 16th of October they disappeared. The house was just as if they went out to work. Their good clothes and their whole outfit was found intact. They had over \$300 in cash at the time they left. They had one hundred bushels of wheat and some oats in their granary, and had three hundred bushels of wheat in the elevator on which they had not collected the price. A neighbor, Mrs. Wallace, stated here yesterday that if the bluff and lake were searched the Pocock boys would be found. A search party of eight left this morning to try to find the bodies. There are strong hints of foul play. A man was found hanging in the stable of the same farm in August of 1892 and was buried here without an inquest. Almost every person states that the body was dead before it was hung up.

CYRESS RIVER, Man., Nov. 16.—The mysterious disappearance of the Pocock brothers has caused quite a sensation in this neighborhood. The general feeling of the people is that the provincial government should take up the case and make a thorough investigation on account of the many suspicious circumstances both in connection with the Pocock case and the finding of the unknown man hanging on the same place. The search party found the remains of a pile of straw which was burnt. The lake is frozen so search could not be made in it.

## The Hill Murder Case.

At 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, young Hill was placed in the dock and the dreadful charge of murder read to him. During the time it was being read the prisoner stood with a bold determined look on his face, but in no way did he give a sign that he was one of the most interested individuals in the crowded court room. When he was asked the question of "guilty, or not guilty," he answered in a faint voice "not guilty."

As the crown was not ready the court adjourned the case till Thursday morning. The trial of this case commencing on Thursday morning. Mr. Howell Q.C. for the crown. Messrs. Henderson & Matheson for the prisoner. The morning session and a portion of the afternoon was taken up with the medical testimony and the evidence on the analysis of the stomach which proved that deceased, Albert Edward Greaves, died from strychnine. Mr. Howell in opening the case for the crown stated that they would prove that deceased died from poison. Detective Foster proved having taken the boy custody at Virden after the trial before the Magistrates there. Mrs. Storey a near neighbor of the deceased gave evidence in regard to the boy Hill coming over on the fatal Wednesday morning to borrow the mustard and when Hill was asked by Mrs. Storey if Greaves was well, he answered no, but he had not got up to breakfast with him. Mrs. Storey gave an account of the interior of Greaves' shanty which appears to have been very poorly furnished and with few comforts in it.

George Storey who was the next witness stated that he lived on the next farm, that Greaves was a healthy well made man, he corroborated the evidence in regard to the boy coming for the mustard. He, the prisoner stated that Mr. Greaves was going over to Pearson with the team and that the deceased had told him that he could take the horse and buggy and go to his mother's. Jacob Pearson swore that Greaves had never over to their place on the Wednesday. Dr. Goulding swore to the analysis of the stomach and finding portions of meat and the hulls of oats. Wm. S. Mundel, father of Mrs. Storey, proved the finding of the package of mustard given by Mrs. Storey to the boy. He found it in a pile of stones outside the shanty. He swore positively that the mustard had been placed there, this he was confident of from the position in which he found it. He proved the position of the body when he entered the shanty. W. H. 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SOMETHING OF HOG-RAISING.

The Kind of Stock Required For Export Trade.

SHOULD MARKET THEM ALIVE.

Farmers Feeding Wheat to Stock and Making Money.

At present the prospects for a large crop of hogs in this section of the country before next spring are unusually bright. Owing to the excessive cheapness of wheat, the more profitable for farmers to feed this grain to hogs than to bring it to market, and they have found the new method of fattening it very profitable. In fact, one farmer, in conversation with a writer, stated that in this way he obtained \$1 a bushel for his wheat. The crop of coarse grain is large, and, in addition to the profit made in the production of a large grade of pork. The hogs are handled here show a steady improvement in quality, farmers having been induced to secure the best breeds. Dressed hogs are bringing from \$7 to \$7.25 per hundred pounds, live weight, selling at \$5.75 and \$6.

Pork packing has assumed large proportions during the last few years, and there is no doubt it will still continue to grow. A few years ago the bulk of the business in this country was done in dressed hogs, but ever since 1876 the business in live hogs has been growing in proportion, and the present day fully two-thirds of the hogs are marketed alive, and the great bulk of the live hogs are handled in the summer time; the dressed hogs in winter. There is a growing tendency on the part of the farming community to dispose of their hogs altogether alive, and the packers prefer to handle them that way. This country is now producing more hogs than there is required for home consumption, consequently there has to be an outlet for the surplus of the product, hams, bacon, etc., and this surplus finds its present market in England. There is no market in the world more exacting in its requirements as to size, hams, and in trimming and perfection in care than this country, and to meet the requirements of this country have to be correspondingly exacting in the size, quality, etc., of the hogs they buy to make them suitable for this market.

Meats for shipment to the English market cannot be made out of dressed hogs, consequently the packers must have them alive, and it stands to reason that an establishment equipped with all the latest appliances can handle hogs for slaughter and curing to better advantage and cheaper than the farmer could. There is a tendency in this country to keep hogs to market in the old-fashioned way, viz., dressed, and in the winter season; the consequence is that they are generally kept till they are fat and heavy for the packers' requirements, and marketed as a season of the year when they are in less demand and command a lower price than they would have if they were marketed in the summer or at a season when they are in greater weight and quality, no matter what time of the year it might be. The days of the demand for heavy fat hogs are past. Increasingly the demand for lean pork has increased, and the demand has taken place at a season when the hogs are in the early stage of their growth, and cured pork brings better prices than any other meat in America.

The Canadian Pork Packing Record gives the following figures regarding the packing in this country: Hogs packed in 1875 and 1876, 115,000; do in 1882 and 1883, 235,000. In the summer of 1875 and 1876, 23,000 hogs were marketed, and in 1882 and 1883, 129,000, showing the increase in the live hog trade. Packers prefer to do their own slaughtering, but they do not favor live pork cannot be sold in the English market.

French Girls Dress Well.

It does not seem to me that French girls think any more about dress than other girls, but they go to work at the problem more systematically. They know how to make the most of themselves, and they become as instinctive for them as care for their appearance is for them to have their hair. The little shop girl, who goes to her work at 9 in the morning and stays till 9 at night, will achieve herself a dainty, fresh and satiate, that is the envy of many a foreign nation.

However great may be the elegance and luxury in general society in France, the girl in proportion to their parents' income, never spends much money on dress. I know at least dozens of girls of \$20,000 each, who have an allowance of \$200 a year for their clothing, and on that they will dress with taste and style and go into society. This leaves a small margin for dressmakers' bills, but, as a matter of fact, half the girls have no dressmaker properly so-called.—*Scraper's Magazine.*

The Origin of Starching.

The cause of history carries us back as far as the origin of starching. It was that year that Madame Van der Pann came with her husband from Flanders to the English metropolis for their greater safety, and there introduced starching as a fashion. The last housewife of the time was not long in discovering the excellent whiteness of the "Dutchman," as it was called, and Madam Pann had been plenty of good-sounding claims, and she had to learn the gladly paid a premium of \$4 to \$5, and for the secret of something which paid largely a further sum of 23 shillings.

A chemist computes that at the present market value the average human being contains something like \$18,000 worth of calcium. But, like the fabulous value of aluminum in clay, or of the gold in sand, the cost of extraction is so great that it is all profit to the manufacturer, and the waste of anatomy will have no immediate cause for alarm as regards cost of preparation.—*Medical News.*

Not the Case.  
"I am not expecting any package," said the lady of the house.  
"This is the number," persisted the driver of the delivery wagon, looking at his book again. "Name's Higgins, ain't it?"  
"Yes."  
"No. 374?"  
"That's our number."  
"Then it's for you."  
"I think not. It must be a case of mistaken identity."  
"No, mum. It's a case of beer."—*Chicago Tribune.*

Small Cause—Big Sensation.



—From the German.

He Had Changed.  
The parrot, as he sat at the kitchen table partaking of the bread of charity, might have been a much more looking specimen, for he had evidently lately received a pair of shoes and a suit of respectable clothes from some kindly hand.  
"You have a pretty hard time of it, don't you?" ventured the cook contemptuously.  
"Yes, ma'am," sighed the tramp as he bit a horseshoe out of a piece of pie.  
"How long have you been tramping?"  
"Seven or eight years, ma'am."  
"Do you like it?"  
"Tain't bad at times."  
"Now, for instance?" she smiled as he wiped his mouth on his coat sleeve and prepared to leave.  
"Yes, ma'am," he and smiled in response.  
"And are you never going to give it up?"  
The tramp became thoughtful.  
"I can't say as to that, ma'am," he said. "I wasn't always as you see me now," he added as he took a survey of himself.  
"No?" she asked in surprise. "What were you?"  
"I was a good deal worse, ma'am," and somehow he felt that it was time to go, and he went rapidly, with the cook after him.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A Case of Honor.

Two Americans traveling abroad engaged in a dispute, and finally after besting some very ugly names upon each other separated. The next morning a Dublin lawyer, whom the pair had met at the table d'hôte, called upon one of the disputants.  
"Would you fight a duel, sir?" he asked.  
"I returned the startled American. 'I fight a duel? No, sir. It may be proper over here, but it isn't in my country. Why do you ask?'"  
"You're certain you wouldn't fight?" returned the lawyer doggedly.  
"Why, no, man," retorted the other. "I said no before."  
"Very well," said the man from Dublin, drawing a letter from his pocket. "I am commissioned to deliver this to you, but I wasn't to deliver it until I had ascertained positively that you wouldn't fight. It's a challenge, sir, to a duel to death."—*New York Press.*

About All's For.

Mr. Norwich-Land takes, Mandi, what you got so many knives an forks at each place for?  
Mr. Norwich—I'm sure I don't know, but that's the way that new man fixed em. I suppose likely it's just to show we've got 'em.—*New York Weekly.*

Wanted.

"Is your daughter improving her time at college?"

Maumma—I'm afraid not. She still spells her name M-a-r-y.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

The Question Matrimonial.

He—Will you share my lot?

She—Is it a lot of money?—*Truth.*

BILL NYE IN LONDON.

HE AND CLARENCE ARE IN LODGINGS THERE.

Clarence is His Man and is a Real Nice Man Too—Attending Divine Service at Westminster Abbey—Proposed Visit to Windsor Castle.

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May here be \$45 to \$50 per ton.

Had I known of it I would have brought some with me. In fact, as many are aware, haled hay is being shipped now to England from America in large quantities owing to the very dry summer and shortness of grass and straw here. But



CLARENCE POINTING OUT PLACES OF INTEREST.

If I could market my North Carolina grass every year at the above prices I could make enough to square me on the expense of trying to raise other crops. The past week I have been the possessor of a valet. The doctor told me that I did not know how to travel or what to eat and drink in order to keep out of the grave, so he prescribed among other things a valet to travel with me, do chores, give my orders, attend to my washing and ironing and be general all around guide, philosopher and hired man.

I call him Clarence. He is 55 years of age and resembles me very much in appearance. It is rather amusing to see me going about over England accompanied by a man so closely resembling me so closely. Elsewhere it would cause laughter, but here it is kindly and even courteously received, but not mirthfully. Clarence points out various places of interest to me in city or country as we go along. He is not upon any very much, being a self-made man who ran short of hair as he finished the job. But he knows this country by heart, and through his leave he had enough to import into America for the use of those who wish to affect the groom of this country he is a good servant and has an appetite that will cut my visit here short by a week.

At present I am at lodgings. Every body advises you to take lodgings here, and very likely it would be a good thing if we could always know what they were to be. Mine could be a good deal better for the landlady "has seen better days." Perhaps I need not say any more than that.

However, it is a case where the husband joyfully died about 15 years ago and left his wife a handmaid with a quiver in her voice and no idea of keeping house. You see such cases everywhere, but more here perhaps. More people connected by the creeds with the Established Church die here or lose their jobs and leave widows relatives to cling to worldly people who are on salaries than elsewhere perhaps.

I am sensitive to the cold, and England is cold. People who are used to it, of course, do not mind it, but to dwell with this never dying chill at one's heart, surrounded by a pall of shivers and darkness, and darkness such as today pervades my room, and confronted by such a fire as I have, is the kind of thing that makes one beg for death or an early steamer.

My fire is made in an iron stove just big enough to hold a black brick. This brick is coal dust and dirt mixed with tar or New Orleans molasses or something and then compressed. It is as incombustible as a Belgian block, and when in its wild fury it turns red and really in its ardor it is as fiercely hot as a new coal fire.

I ask Clarence to stir it up, but he well asks how one can stir a brick that is wedged in the chimney. I put on more coals and sit on my feet. They are so chilled that I am most afraid I will take cold sitting on them.

Last Sabbath I attended divine services at Westminster and wore my new clothes made here. There was a slight flutter of pleasure, I fancied, as I passed down the aisle. The clothes are not so bad as some that I was tempted to get. What I wore was a subdued sort of protected check made in a box plaid jacket, with hat of same, trousers half tight fitting—i. e., tight below the knee and very full above—plaid tennis shoes and white "spats."

Westminster abbey has a good choir of singers, who live here in town, and an organ that is paid for. The voice of that organ was very comforting to me, a stranger with sweet memories only for company, and on its velvet mantle of melody my heart rose. I believe in an honest but voiceless prayer.

The service was swallowed up by the mighty galleries, where, in the dusky recesses of the lofty building, the gold and ruby and green sunbeams from the vast and glorious window were straying, and the voices of the singers and the bugles and thunder and dates of the organ I could not forget.

They were not the same, but they took me back to the time when I used to go and wait all through church practice in order to go home at last with the young lady organist.

It was so grand, so deep, so memory stirring, that for the moment I forgot my costly raiment and was back again

in the far west of America, without over-garters, it is true, but with a heart full of joy and with a small gloved hand on my coat sleeve, where I can feel it yet.

So I went after services to tell the pastor how much I was pleased with his choir, etc., but he was gone. Westminster church is where the queen was crowned fifty odd years ago and has never since its erection or consecration given a mush and milk sociable.

Yesterday I visited the National gallery because it was the day when artists come to make copies of the old masters. There you see old and gray artists peering away at copies of Rubens, and young and pretty girl artists—prettier than any of the pictures they are painting—and all at work regardless of passing and curious people. They are all wrapped up in their art.

I watched one young lady over her shoulder while she painted a sunset—sort of an explosion it looked like—in the sort of a picture she was painting. But she called an attendant, who arrested me and confined me in the Hogarth room for half an hour.

They are very severe with people who interfere with artists who are working. The works of Turner have been often criticised, and especially by the unlearned. Artists never speak severely of him, but common people do. For my part, I do not care for him. Possibly that is because I am unprepared to judge, but I am not afraid to stand up here today with my hand on my heart and say that, if you will give me a good clean tablecloth and move it around a little each meal so that the place where I carve will come on a new spot each time, I'll give you in a week's time a Turner that by touching up a little will make people pay their eyes out.

Speaking of the Hogarth collection, I will say in passing that it was the only room in which no artists were copying. While all the other masters had students and venerable artists clustered about them, Hogarth's disorderly house was still. I am not surprised.

His portrait of himself, by himself, hung where it faced his "Marriage à la Mode" on the opposite wall, and he seemed to say to himself sadly, "Did I devote my inspired brush to such work as that and hope to be loved or copied in coming years?"

Comparatively few Americans are here this year the tradesmen say and account for it on the ground that they are staying at home to visit the great fair, or, as I heard a poetic kind of man say once, "The White City."

But I couldn't tell at a glance whether there were a few more or less here of any kind of people in London than there had been. One or two might be snatched away by death before night, and tomorrow I would not know it. But after I had been here, of course, for a week or two it would be different.

A Frenchman here last week got a frightful and ghastly blow on the head and is still lying at the police hospital unconscious—possibly dying.

The circumstance occurred in this way: He and I were talking about thieves, etc., and he showed me a guard which he wore on his watch. It seemed very ingenious, and I was quite struck with it. "You like it?" he asked.

"Yes, very much."  
"Verre well, you shall have it." And he took it off, and before I could say Jack Robinson he had it on my watch. I thanked him very profusely and in a way that would have made old man Chesterfield go and jump off the dock.

"Don't mention it, sare," he said. "It is not necessary. I have just returned from America. I needn't dam myself no longer."  
If I run across anything of interest or anything new next week, I will draw it off in a letter next to you or the week



IN THE NATIONAL GALLERY.

after. I am going to sort of look around here some more on the sub rosa, q. t., in cog, or on the dead, as Spencer would say, and jot down things here and there, after which I am going back to Cork and other towns.

Tomorrow I go to Windsor castle to stay a couple of days. Her majesty is not at home.

Bill Nye

A Critical Opinion.

"I suppose you like your new play very much," said the interviewer to the actress.

"Yes, indeed."

"No doubt the lines are quite bright."

"Well, to be frank with you, I haven't read them yet. But the costumes are simply gorgeous."—*Washington Star.*

Next.

Mrs. Kutehaw (who has been discussing individual tastes)—What is your forte, Mrs. Jimsey?

Mrs. Jimsey—Me fourt is dead, Jimsey's me fift.—*Chicago Record.*

Ours Too.

Harry—One never loses anything by keeping his engagements punctually.

Charlie—My experience is he is apt to lose half an hour's time waiting for the other fellow.—*Truth.*

BY THE WINDING ELBE.

A Visit by Proxy to the Quaint Old City of Hamburg.

WHERE NOBODY DRINKS WATER.

Beer the National Beverage—At the Station—Quaint Old Hamburg—George Trees at Hotel Deutscher Garten.

He American, says John O'Leary in the Boston Herald, who is in Europe this summer and refrains from visiting Hamburg because he thinks of the city as still lingering in the shadow of the cloud that so completely obscured her beauty last year, but is none the less a mistake.

Hamburg has shaken off her sorrow and risen, with true Phoenix-like superiority, over her sorrow, and more truthfully speaking, her woe, and is to-day one of the most inviting, as well as the most beautiful, of the minor European cities. The Elbe has been most carefully purified, and the water is all filtered before being used in the city, and no one in Hamburg appears to have any thought or fear of a return of the cholera scare. If I stated that I saw anyone drink water, while in Hamburg, I should be telling the truth, but for that matter, who ever saw a German drink water in the Fatherland?

THE NATIONAL BEVERAGE.  
At every station of any prominence throughout the Empire will be found the famous schneider, and the amazing frequency with which the native Teuton can empty these, with no apparent effect on his constitution, is one of those things which one begins by wondering at and ends by concluding, for whether it is the climate or the contagious force of surrounding examples, certain it is that one cannot be in Germany two days without learning to drink beer, and liking it, too.

Another convincing argument to the American that he is not on his native beach is the language which will greet him as he steps from the train. You may be more or less conversant with the German language, even to the extent of referring to it as Deutsch, and not hesitating to express your emotions in it on all occasions; you may have brewed up your knowledge for this very occasion, but

WILL AVOID YOU AS NOTHING when you address a Hamburg railway porter. To your most fluently delivered request he will turn a stolid exterior and respond, "Nehn Denker," or else he will give vent to a few of the most appalling jaw-pulling growls which you will find to be, and when you are fairly hypnotized by astonishment he will grab your luggage, several of him, and disappear with it into the depths of the immense station, where you will search for him in vain, and eventually discover that it has been deposited in the all-devouring maw of the custom house.

The drive from the railway station to the hotel or the residential portion of the city is not only a beautiful one, but is the visiting stranger most interesting, from the fact that it gives glimpses of so many phases of the city. This contrast of localities is one which is seldom met in any other city, and it is often hard to realize that it is one and the same city when the eye turns from handsome blocks of modern business places late a crooked, narrow street of

QUAINT OLD HOUSES, heavy with the weight of their years, that stand so close together, and in turn by a Parisian-like arcade of a fine mansion, set far back in beautiful grounds.

The river Elbe flows through the center of the city, making a tangible dividing line between the old and new portions; and it would be difficult to say which is the more interesting.

Of the older half, much has been converted into business houses, but there are still many of the old and venerable buildings are exceedingly picturesque, in the old German style, and form irregular, winding streets that turn and twist, and the erratic fashion of old Boston streets.

The houses are fire and stone, and very narrow, with steeply pitched roofs, usually also with a sharply pointed false front at the top to give the impression of yet greater height. The roofs are tiled with red or brown tiles, and in every shade of red, brown, gray, white and yellow, but the piling of the hundreds of years since they were erected has left discolorations upon them so deep that it is often difficult to know what the original color was.

PLANTS GROW AND NOB from every balcony and window shelf, and their freshness is in strange contrast to their soiled.

Many of these houses rise on one side directly out of canals of sluggish water, dikes looking enough to bring thoughts of cholera to the mind of the onlooker, but they are flushed at high tide, and carefully disinfected and, in fact, are said to be very healthy. They are covered with green algae, however, and the walls of the houses built upon them rock with dampness so much as to make it a marvel that they are habitable; but they certainly swarm with life, nevertheless, and their occupants appear to be in as good condition bodily as the inhabitants of old tenement houses are in any city.

In the lower part of the city is the stone-paved river, where the water is so shallow that the boats are actually speaking, the circle, where the fruit market is held.

It is situated upon a side hill, and six or eight stories open off from it on the upper side, their quiet angles, heavy balconies and springing windows, with the flowers and swaying vines, and occasionally a flag or signboard, make it look like nothing so much as the setting of a comic opera scene. The

VENDERS OF THE MARKET sit on the curbstones, surrounded by flat, tray-like baskets, holding their wares. One can see here almost the same variety to be found at this season in an American market, with a few exceptions, notably, fresh corn, which is unknown here.

The new potatoes are carefully washed, and all the vegetables have a fresh, crisp look and are prettily arranged upon leaves and greens in the baskets.

The fruit is usually attractive and of remarkable size; red, black and white currants, immense red and yellow gooseberries, black and red cherries and strawberries, are temptingly displayed. The yellow is mostly packed in wicker from the surrounding country; large, coarse women, so hardened and tanned by their labor in the fields that only their dress

DISSENTING THEM FROM THEM.

They wear no particular or characteristic costume; merely rough gowns, even with small shawls about their shoulders. The only survival of the national peasant costume to be met with in Hamburg is the dress of the flower sellers, who are to be found in pairs at the doors of the large hotels, and on the principal streets and parks. It is quaint and attractive, but the women who wear it are usually old, haggard-looking creatures. Occasionally, a pretty young flower is beautiful, and in all instances their flowers are beautiful, and cheap enough to tempt one to buy for their own sake. The prices are exactly one-fifth of what is asked by street vendors in America, ranging from 1 cent of our money for bunches of sweet lavender blue to 10 cents for bunches of a dozen or two of roses.

The flowers are perfectly fresh and very fine; even at the florist's one can get bunches of forget-me-nots for 10 cents, and baskets containing several dozen roses charmingly arranged, for 25 cents.

ORANGE TREES AS HOTEL SIGNS.

Beside flower sellers we found another distinguishing feature of hotel doorways to be the orange trees. For some unknown cause the doorway of every visible hotel or pension of any importance is invariably decorated by the first Teuton who enters the room. The hotels are handsomely furnished and better kept than many of even the highest class American hotels. Hamburg hotels are situated in the center of the city, and command both a fine view of the Elbe and the handiwork of the stone bridge which cross it and of the main streets and the general life of the

Of these hotels the finest and newest is the Hamburger Hof, a beautiful bourgeois affair. The rooms are all that one could wish for, and lack but one thing, fresh air.

DREAD OF DRAUGHTS.

The innate horror of the German race for anything approaching a draught is so great that it is almost impossible to induce them to open their windows; as these are formidable, bolted and barred, and they are so small as to open them one's self, and infinitely depressing when you have finally succeeded in accomplishing your aim to have them tightly closed as soon as your back is turned by the first Teuton who enters the room. I never knew a German servant to enter my room without asking me about permission to close the window, which, needless to say, they never got.

The prices are remarkably moderate to the sufferer from M. Kinslay; the equivalent of one American dollar will secure for you a very good room, in most hotels the very best, and at the Hamburger Hof the choicest rooms are as high as 7 marks, or \$1.75 approximately.

The first breakfast, of coffee, chocolate, or tea and rolls with unsalted butter, the universal European breakfast, is usually about 25 cents, at the average, which is served at noon and is equivalent to the American luncheon, consisting of soup, an entree, a vegetable and fruit, with rolls and butter, is 50 cents.

HAMBURG IS COSMOPOLITAN.

Hamburg lies in the track of world-wide travel to such an extent that it is in many ways more cosmopolitan than any city except the very great cities of Germany, as Berlin or Dresden.

On her streets one meets not only the German, but the French, English, Austrian, American, and even types of the less prominent races.

To an eye accustomed only to the monotony of civilian dress, it seems as if three men in every five in Hamburg were uniformed. Not only is the regular army much in evidence, but the uniforms of the gendarmes and such government employees as the railway guards, station guards, porters, postmen and tramway guards are all in what to the eye of the uninitiated American appears to be the most gorgeous and gaudy uniform.

I never feel sure whether the man of whom I inquire the way at the three corners is a policeman or the colonel of a crack regiment, and so for the tramway guards, with their peculiarly colored, scarlet uniforms, brilliant with brass buttons and the most immaculate brass contrivances in the form of lilies, acorns, punches and money bags strapped across their chests, and the most ornate and gaudy of conductors would expire with envy the moment he saw one.

CLEAN, TASTEFUL CARS.

The trains are in some instances propelled by dummy steam engines, and in others by one horse, who, however, always looks to be in good health and not very averse to his job. The cars are of dark wood, handsomely finished and absolutely clean.

Nobody sits on their floors. If he did, the guard would make short work of him. They are provided, in place of blinds, with spotted white curtains, of Madras muslin. Fancy how long that would be practicable in a drizzling cold rain in Boston! There are no east winds here; the climate is delightfully clear and warm in summer; often very hot, even in the winter very cold. The flowers and verdure are very heavy and beautiful and their tints are brilliant to an almost tropical degree. In the roads through the residential portion of the town the eye is charmed by the manifestation of delightful garden scenes, in which the roses at this season of the year play a prominent part.

These roads are broad, heavily shaded avenues, paved with asphalt; on one side winds the River, and on the other, with all its attendant and pleasing craft of all kinds, passing and repassing each other. At short distances it is crossed by bridges, here a stone, there a light iron one, or one of rustic wood. There are no buildings on its banks, but groves of trees, beautiful gardens, grass lawns, with arbors and flowering shrubs, border the entire river-side as far as the residential portion extends. These, on the opposite side of the avenue, are magnificent buildings of stone and marble, in the manner of Italian styles, standing in the midst of grounds laid out with extreme taste, and kept with great care.

One estate joins another, and each successive one vies with the preceding in beauty. Beautiful statues stand in the shade of grand old trees, beds of flowers and winding walks occupy every foot of space, and small tables and benches, there, usually surrounded by a tea-drinking group of people, testify to the fact that the native breed of fresh air does not apply to taking it in the own element.

Roses bloom everywhere and in the greatest profusion. The Hamburgers have a charming way of arranging their flowers. The roses, which grow from four to six feet high, are carefully divided of every inch and stem to within a foot or two of the top, where it is allowed to spread into a bushy-shaped bush. These are planted in circles, and as the flowers bloom very abundantly, the effect is a carpet of roses, and the garden is that of thousands of rose-shaped cascades of roses, and is indefinitely charming.



1. The first part of the document is a letter from the author to the editor, dated 10/10/1961. The letter discusses the author's interest in the topic of the journal and mentions that the author has been thinking about the topic for some time. The author also mentions that the author has been reading the journal and has found it to be very interesting.



## City Council.

The whole council was present except Ald. Caldwell. The special committee to report on the bridge, consisting of Ald. Caldwell, Cameron, Trotter and Reesor, reported on the change in the water supply. They deemed it advisable to employ three men and they recommended Mr. Anderson be chief, Callender and Baker chemical driver, and a third man to be named by the council. The report was laid over for next meeting of the council.

A large delegation of the ratepayers from north of track, amongst whom were Mr. Andrew Kelley, Mr. Moore, Mr. Cameron and Mr. W. A. McDonald addressed the council, re the closing of the street.

The following resolutions were moved: Ald. Cameron—That the city solicitor confer with Mr. J. S. Ewart for the purpose of defining the rights of the city of Brandon re the crossing of the railway. Carried.

Ald. Reesor—That Wm. Fleming be awarded one dollar for water supplied to the waterworks, for each cart used during the coming winter. Carried.

Ald. Cameron—That the balance of Chambers & Beaman's account on contract for pumping station, amounting to \$125.00 be paid and that the account be referred back to waterworks committee. Carried.

Ald. Cameron—That this council hereby express their entire satisfaction with the way the Bell Telephone Co. have constructed their line in the city and fully appreciate their efforts to supply with a first class system. Carried.

Kedley Trotter—That all accounts passed in council be paid the second day after passing same. Carried.

Kedley Trotter—That J. E. Aylesworth be paid the sum of \$4.50 for glass broken by laborers on street. Carried.

Kedley Trotter—That the city engineer be and is hereby instructed to at once arrange with La-daw & Green or some other machinist to assist engineer Crawford to place steam works in steam feed pipe for engine at pumping station. Carried.

Trotter—Kedley—That Mrs. Smith be paid \$12 for compensation in nursing Mrs. Bentley's children, that in future all such claims be refused unless properly authorized. Carried.

Ald. Cameron—That a committee consisting of the Mayor, Ald. Cameron and Kedley confer with the C. P. R. authorities in regard to water rates and the amount of water they are likely to require per annum, and the clerk communicate with Mr. Whyte in regard to the same, and find out when he will meet committee. Carried.

Reesor—Trotter—That the report of special meeting of Fire Water and Light board over until next meeting and that the firemen be requested to meet and have submitted to this council their views in regard to who shall be chief under any new arrangement that may be made in regard to the brigade.

Owing to the want of space we are unable to give a full report.

## Around Roundabout.

ROUNDABOUT, Nov. 15.—An open meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society was held in the Presbyterian church on Monday evening last, when a very interesting and instructive programme was carried out, including a paper on "Mission Work in Formosa," presented and read by Miss L. McKay, Rev. T. R. Shearer, acting as chairman. A collection was taken up during the meeting for the furthering of the above cause which amounted \$28.50, much to the gratification of the ladies interested.

On Monday, November 20th, a social and entertainment will be held in the Presbyterian church, it being the anniversary of the opening of the church.

His Grace the Archbishop of Rupert's Land will hold a confirmation here on Sunday, November 19th.

An entertainment will be held in the school house shortly, under the auspices of the English church.

Mrs. Smith, of Ottawa, is at present visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Shearer.

A meeting of the Roundabout fox-hounds took place Thursday last.

## Markets.

The following prices are now being paid for the under mentioned farm produce:

Wheat	40c.	per bushel
Oats	32c.	" "
Barley	29c.	" "
Potatoes	45c.	" "
Carrots	50c.	to 60c.
Beets	50c.	to 60c.
Turnips	25c.	to 30c.
Parsnips	80c.	" "
Onions	\$1.50 to \$2.00	per lb.
Butter	20c.	per lb.
Eggs	20c.	per doz.
Chickens	12c.	per lb.
Beef	\$5.00 to \$8.00	per ton
Pork	2c. to 2 1/2c.	per lb. live weight
Mutton	4c. to 4 1/2c.	" "
Lamb	4 1/2c. to 5c.	" "

## The Gale in Great Britain.

Haywards Recorder, reports 144 wrecks in the late storm, the highest ever reported for a single storm. The worst day before was in 1879, when 139 vessels were lost.

The verdict rendered in the case of the Queen vs. Shillhammer, the man who was charged with stealing \$110 from his employer, is one of "guilty." He was sentenced by the Judge, to serve a term of two years in the provincial gaol.

## For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child, suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth. Send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums and reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

## ALL MEN

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted who are broken down from excess or over work, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, head-aches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation of the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids, and elsewhere, painfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will-power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dulness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring of vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse, committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address for book on diseases peculiar to man, sent free, sealed Address, M. V. LUBON, 24 Macdonnell Ave., Toronto, Ont.

High Healing Powers cure possessed by Victoria Carbol Salve. The best remedy for Cuts, Burns, Sores and Wounds.

THE BRANDON AND SOUTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to revise the Act of said Parliament 53 Victoria Chapter 86, and to extend the time for the completion of the railway of the Brandon and South-Western Railway Company and to continue to the said Company after such revival all the rights, powers and privileges vested in said Company prior to the expiration of the time limited in the Railway Act for the commencement and completion of their railway, and also to amend the said Act in other respects.

J. F. PRUD'HOMME, Secretary of the Brandon and South-Western Railway Company.

Dated this 25th day of September, A. D. 1893.

COMPAGNIE DE CHEMIN DE FER BRANDON ET SUD-OUEST.

AVIS est donne par le present que demande sera faite au parlement du Canada, a sa prochaine session, afin d'obtenir un acte permettant en vertu d'un acte dit de parliament, 53 Victoria, chapitre 86, et de prolonger le delai fixe pour completer le chemin de fer de la Compagnie de chemin de fer Brandon et Sud-Ouest, et continuer a la dite Compagnie, apres cette remise en vigueur, tous les droits, pouvoirs et privileges confere a la dite Compagnie, anterieurement a l'expiration du delai fixe par l'acte des chemins de fer pour le commencement de sa voie ferree, et aussi a l'effet de modifier le dit acte sous d'autres rapports.

J. F. PRUD'HOMME, Secretaire de la Compagnie de chemin de fer Brandon et Sud-Ouest.

Dote ce 25e jour de septembre A. D. 1893.

## Dr. Fowler's

Extract of Wild Strawberry is a reliable remedy that can always be depended on to cure cholera, cholera infantum, colic, cramps, diarrhoea, dysentery, and all looseness of the bowels. It is a pure

## Extract

containing all the virtues of Wild Strawberry, one of the safest and surest cures for all summer complaints, combined with other harmless yet prompt curative agents, well known to medical science. The leaves

Strawberry were known by the Indians to be an excellent remedy for diarrhoea, dysentery and looseness of the bowels; but medical science has placed before the public in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild

## Strawberry

a complete and effectual cure for all those distressing and often dangerous complaints so common in this changeable climate.

It has stood the test for 40 years, and hundreds of lives have been saved by its prompt use. No other remedy always

## Cures

summer complaints so promptly, quiets the pain so effectually and allays irritation so successfully as this unrivalled prescription of Dr. Fowler. If you are going to travel this

## Summer

be sure and take a bottle with you. It overcomes safely and quickly the distressing summer complaint so often caused by change of air and water, and is also a specific against sea-sickness, and all bowel

## Complaints.

Price 35c. Beware of imitations and substitutes sold by unscrupulous dealers for the sake of greater profits.

## Greatest SALE OF THE SEASON.

One hundred lines of our Fresh Stock to be closed out at your own prices. We quote below original prices, and sale prices so that reductions may be noted as you read:

Original Price,		Sale Price.
45cts	Velvet	35cts
75	"	56
75	All wool plaid dress	50
50	Serge very latest styles.	35
50	Grey dress serge	35
11	Blousing flannels	9
12 1/2	"	9 1/2
15	Melton	9
15	"	11
\$ 6.25	Dress Patterns	\$ 4.55
5.75	"	4.10
35	Fancy Flannels	31 1/2
15	Qualities in Shawls, note prices below.	
75	Shawls	54
1.60	"	1.00
2.70	"	1.80
2.25	"	1.55
6.00	"	4.80
5.85	"	4.50
3.25	"	2.25
75	Ladies Kid Mitts	50
1.25	"	1.00
1.50	"	1.25
40	" Cashmere gloves	26
50	"	35
60	" Kid Ties "	46
50	Ladies Underwear.	34
90	"	70
1.05	"	1.00
1.25	"	1.00

Last jobs in Clouds, Wool Squares, Wool Hoods, Gaiters, Cuffs, etc., at any price to clear out the lot.

25	Hemp Carpet Stair	16
40	" Jap "	35
60	" " "	40
60	" " "	40
75	" " "	60
1.00	" " "	85
1.25	" " "	95
65	" " "	55
75	" " "	60
15	Stair Linen "	13

10 cans new vegetables (any kind) \$1.00  
12 lbs. new Currants, Raisins, Prunes, Dried Apples, Sago, and Tapioca for \$1.00  
12 Cans New Salmon \$1.00  
18 lbs. New Japan Rice \$1.00  
18 Bars Royal Crown or Surprise soap \$1.00  
Fresh Mixed Candy per pound 10 cents

5.25	all wool blankets, finest finish, 60x80	4 lbs for 3.75.
5.75	all wool blankets, 64x82, 7 lbs for 4.55.	
2.50	White Quilt	2.00
1.25	Colored "	1.00
1.10	Bed Comforters	78
1.66	"	1.30
2.35	"	1.70
5.75	Down "	4.45
7.50	"	6.25
9.50	Chenille Curtains	8.45
7.75	"	6.25
80	"	65
1.75	"	1.13
3.25	"	2.25
3.45	"	2.25
5.25	"	3.85

## FUR CAPS

4.25	Misses grey lamb cap with band	3.80
3.25	" " "	2.65
5.50	Men's Persian Lamb	4.45
6.50	" " "	5.05
7.50	" " "	6.20
2.50	Wombat	1.95
2.00	Rat Wedge	1.65
5.25	Western Bear	3.80
4.50	American Seal	3.20
9.00	Otter Wedge	7.60
10.50	" Beaver	8.75

## MUFFS

5.75	Grey Lamb	4.50
2.75	Black Sable	1.95
3.75	" Opposum	3.13
6.00	Beaver	5.20
7.00	Persian Lamb	5.70
6.75	C Sable Collar	5.70
6.90	" Opposum	5.75
7.75	" Grey Lamb	6.40
11.50	" Persian Lamb	9.50
8.50	" Beaver	7.65
3.00	" Black Sable	2.25
6.90	Gauntlets, Black Sable	5.75
9.25	Grey Goat Robe	7.15
10.50	" " "	8.75
12.00	Black " "	9.70
4.25	Men's Gauntlets, Wombat	3.50
54	mens and boys Gauntlets, cloth	
gloves, following are samples of reductions:		
11.00	Cloth Overcoat	8.45
19.00	" " "	15.95
12.50	" " "	9.85
Best Saxony Yarn, white 10c, Black 12c colors 19c.		
Teint Honeycomb Toweling 5cents.		

Men's fur coats in following furs at less than cost prices:—Australian Bear Australian Coon, Russian Wolf, Bulgarian Lamb, Bulgarian Dog and Raccoon.

## TERMS CASH.

Positively no goods charged at above prices.

Just received a splendid range of Gents Ties, clearing out the lot at 25cents!

A big range of remnants and a job line of Corsets at any price.

Sale will continue while present stock lasts.

WHYTE BROS.

Cor. Ros. & 6th St. Brandon.

## CLOSING

## OUT SALE

AT

## BOWER & CO.

Everything being sacrificed clothing and overcoats contain the newest styles in materials and makes.

Call and examine our worsted suits, that can be sold at two thirds the price of ordered goods.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS. Hats, straw and felt, caps of a variety of materials, suitable for Lacrosse, Lawn Tennis and Base Ball clubs. Shirts in a variety of materials and prices.

Underwear in Gauze Balbriggan, wool and other makes. Ties in an endless variety. Collars of the latest styles. Socks in Cotton, natural color fancy and black Cashmere, wool silk and other makes.

All goods are offered at greatly reduced prices to meet the times. This is no cheap advertisement but will be carried out to the letter. Give us a call and get prices.

## "PROCLAMATION."

## WE HAVE THE RIGHT GOODS AT RIGHT PRICES.

Which we are desirous of turning into money and invite your inspection.

In dress goods, suitable for the season.

Challies in wools and other makes.

Lawns in plain and printed also some French materials for the warm weather.

Our Blouses in Cambric, Cloth and Muslin goods have been a decided success. A few still on hand to be sold at prices that defy competition.

Our staple department has been kept complete.

In white cottons, grey cottons, Tickings, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Flannellettes and Linen Goods, etc.

In The Gents Department.

Our stock of ready made clothing and overcoats contain the newest styles in materials and makes.

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## PAISLEY & MORTON.

## Spring and Summer 1893.

J. DAVIDSON, TAILOR, In thanking his friends for their liberal patronage during the last three years, desires to say that he has on hand an excellent variety of goods suitable for this season's trade which he offers at very low prices. We do business on the small profits and quick return system.

Call and see our goods and get prices.

J. Davidson

Next Door to C. P. R. Telegraph Office, Rosser Avenue.

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## Winter Balm

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GENEAL BLACKSMITH

Horseshoeing Specialty

BEST IN THE CITY.

All kinds of Repairing Done. New Black Shoes Opposite the City Hall.

## WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES.

(Northern Pacific R.R. Co., Lessee.)

## LATEST TIME CARD.

Two Through Trains Daily.

12.45pm	6.30pm	Lv. Minn. Ar.	8.05am	4.15pm
1.30pm	7.15pm	Lv. St. Paul Ar.	1.00am	3.10pm
10.15am	4.15am	Lv. Duluth Ar.	1.45pm	2.30pm
1.00pm	7.30pm	Lv. Ashland Ar.	2.30pm	
7.15am	9.30am	Ar. Chicago Lv.	10.45pm	

Tickets sold and baggage checked through to all points in the United States and Canada. Close connection made in Chicago with all trains going East and South. For full information apply to your nearest ticket agent or JAS. C. FORD, Gen. Pass. and Tkt. Agt., Chicago Ill.



## LET US SHOW YOU

what you ought to see at the earliest possible moment, the most complete line of ladies' shoes in all sizes. If you fail to see it you have missed your footing so to speak, and are not properly equipped for the season. We can show you just what you need for allocations and all weathers both for indoor and outdoor wear at figures too low to be equalled at any store in this country. It's well enough to take time but usually, if you take time you can't take a bargain, because it's gone before you arrive.

## The Brandon Boot Co

JNO. MORRIS, Prop.

Telephone 218, P.O. Box 24

## NOTICE.

This notifies the public that I have purchased the tinware and stove business lately carried on by E. R. Story, including all the book accounts. Settlement of all accounts must be made without delay. In the tinware and stove departments new additions have been made to meet all demands at the lowest prices.

W. MILLER

## CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Excursions to the East, Nov. 21st,

TO

Dec. 31st;

- \$40 -

TO

Montreal, Toronto, Suspension Bridge, Ottawa, Etc.

Tickets Good for 3 Months.

Unlimited Tourist Cars on all trains. Rate to Toronto or Montreal \$2 per double berth.

## AUSTRALIA

FROM VANCOUVER.

S.S. Warrimoo, November 19

S.S. Arara, December 16

## CHINA & JAPAN











# 45 DAYS Slaughter Sale of Winter Goods AT J. NATION'S

**Wambat Coats** at \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$29.00; **Coon Coats** at \$31.50, \$35.00, \$37.50 and \$40.00; **North Sea Seal coats** at \$30.00 and \$35.00; **Natural Dog Coats** at \$18.00 and \$20.00; **Grey Goat Coats** \$12.50 and \$15.00; **Black Goat Coats** at \$13.50 and \$16.00.

## Fur Caps.

**SOUTH SEA SEAL CAPS** at \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00; **PERSIAN LAMB CAPS** at \$3.10 to \$7.50; **BEAVER CAPS** at \$3.50 to \$8.00; **ASTRACHAN CAPS** at \$1.50 to \$2.50.

## Cloth Overcoats.

We have about 225 CLOTH OVERCOATS equal to any ordered work in the city at ONE HALF THE PRICE.

**"UNDERWEAR"** in Great variety from 75 CENTS SUIT up.

Top Shirts, Smocks, Gloves and Mitts by the Cord at Cut Prices.

Ties We keep only the latest styles in the market. Fine Dress Shirts always kept in stock, at the on exclusive Gents' Furnishings & Fur Store in Brandon. Orders taken for any kind of Ladies' Furs at small advance on cost.

# J. NATION,

One door east Queen's Hotel, ROSSER AVENUE.

### LOCAL NEWS.

To-day is Thanksgiving day.  
Mr. J. Woodman went to Winnipeg last Saturday.  
Mr. J. D. Kennedy has his coal office into Lupton Block.

The skating rink will be open to-day, (Thanksgiving day).  
Jas. Donaldson went to Winnipeg last week with a car-load of hogs.

Mrs. S. Cameron and Miss Cameron left last week to visit friends in the east.  
Archdeacon Fortin conducted the services at St. Matthews church last Sunday.

The Phonograph concert in the Methodist church given last week was a very interesting and successful affair.

From Brazil comes the news that the son of the deposed Emperor Dom Pedro, has been proclaimed Emperor of Brazil.

Prof. Kendrick, of St. Johns College, Winnipeg, was attending the sessions. It was this gentleman who analyzed the sickness of Mr. Greaves.

The majority of the covers for the hydrants have been placed in position and carefully packed. It will have to be a very severe winter should they be affected by frost.

The wife of Mr. W. A. Allan, accountant of the Merchants Bank here, left last week for her home in Hamilton, Ont. It is her intention to spend the winter there.

Mr. Mills, from Souris who has been a patient in the Hospital for some time, is now able to say recovering. He hopes to be able to return to the Beaubien and join his wife and family who have been guests there for some time.

A. M. Knox, is opening a butcher shop in the Postage, and will sell three pounds for a quarter, with meat 2 and 4 pound, live weight; we think some good samaritans might do likewise here, with profit to himself, and good to the public.

Messrs Sinclair & Co. had a car of coal sealed with the Government Seal, broken into on Tuesday night last, in the N. P. yard and a great quantity of coal taken therefrom. Messrs. Sinclair offer a reward of \$25.00 for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who did it.

The Steamship, Arawa, which has been chartered by the Canadian-Australian Steamship Company to take the place of the Miowara, now ashore at the entrance to Honolulu harbor, held the record between England and New Zealand via the Cape. She is a larger boat than the Miowara, which she replaces and has got excellent passenger accommodation. The Canadian-Australian Steamship line have decided that their steamers will call at Fiji on both their going and return trips in future.

Mr. W. Leishman went to Winnipeg. Mr. John Hood, post master of Oak Lake, was in the city the latter end of last week.

The Star Almanac of Montreal for 1894 is just published. Needless to say there is a great demand for it.

A meeting of the directors of the Brandon Agricultural Society will be held in the city, Wednesday next, November 22nd.

Itch on human and horses and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Warranted by N. J. Halpin, Druggist, Brandon.

Mr. Daubney, editor of the Deloraine Times, has been attending the court here. Mr. Daubney was a brother-in-law of the murdered Greaves and was one of the principal witnesses against the boy Hill.

The Archdeaconry of Winnipeg, will meet here on the 25th and 26th of December. A large number of the church clergy are expected to be in attendance and many questions of importance will be discussed.

The Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co. will open a 5 weeks engagement, at the Opera Hall Brandon, commencing on Tuesday evening, Nov. 28th, giving Free Concerts nightly. Adult Free, all under 18 years of age will be charged 10 cents each night. Seats will be reserved for the Ladies. Free Concert-Nightly, don't forget the date Nov. 28th.

Rheumatism cured in a day.—South America Rheumatic Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and disease immediately disappears. The first dose immediately benefits. 75 cents. Sold by N.J. Halpin, Druggist.

### A Dream.

How many people have yearned for another Christmas number of the Montreal Star, one of those of rarest beauty that turned the heads of old and young in other years! And it will be glad tidings in thousands upon thousands of homes that there is to be this year the grandest of all Christmas Stars, forty-four pages on satin paper, with five superb art supplements of bewitching beauty.

A team was left at Beaubien stables about the 17th of September. The person's name is supposed to be Loney leaving the team came from the neighborhood of Souris. Since that time he has not been heard of but it is rumoured that he has skipped the country. The team is one bay horse with white face, another a bay bay horse with white face, the other a bay mare. They would weigh in good order 27,000 lbs. This team will be sold to pay expenses, if not claimed by a duly authorized agent according to law. Thos. Beaubien.

Note the new Advertisement of Haley & Sutton in this issue. It speaks for itself.

The change of time table on the Great North West Central was handed us too late for insertion this week. The change will appear in the next.

Call at the Mail Bookstore, Brandon, if you want hard-times prices quoted for holiday presents. First store west of Merchants Bank.

Cliffe's store is the bargain house this year for holiday goods—the variety is complete, and prices 25 per cent cheaper than any other shop in the West.

The 20 per cent discount advertised by others is nowhere, when you see Cliffe's prices for holiday presents. Call and see for yourselves.

Mr. Thos. Nixon, Supt. of the C. P. R. right-of-way was in the city last week attending the tax sale of Wordsworth municipality.

Mr. Mathews, music teacher at the Academy, has returned from a trip east. He will resume his classes in music instruction at once.

Itch on human and horses and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by N. J. Halpin, Druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells of Winnipeg arrived in town last week. After a brief stay, Mrs. Wells intends to go to California for the winter.

Fancy goods, toys Christmas and New Year cards 25 per cent cheaper at the Mail Book store, first store west of the Merchants Bank, Brandon, than at any other store in the west. Call and price the goods.

Mr. W. H. Hooper has consented to stand for alderman for ward 3. Mr. Hooper is regarded as one of the best business, and the interests of the place now call for services of the best men in the city for aldermen and schools trustees.

English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Swells, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by N. J. Halpin, Druggist.

Mr. Robinson, a farmer in the vicinity of Stockton, mysteriously disappeared about a week ago. It is currently reported that he has been murdered. Stockton is about six miles west of Glenboro, where it is reported that the murderer appeared and grave doubts are entertained that they have not been murdered.

We have been informed by some of our customers that when they wanted coal they called on the dry men from whom they had bought their coal in former years

and asked them for the Canadian anthracite coal and were informed by the said drymen that they could get them the Canadian Anthracite but would not advise them to use it, as it would not give them satisfaction.

We would ask the citizens of Brandon who are using coal not to be put off with such answers for if the drymen won't deliver it to you we will gladly fill your order and guarantee satisfaction. The coal we handle is not only as good as the Pennsylvania article but is far better, and we can get the majority of those who are using it to back us up in this opinion. We have it in three sizes and can suit any kind of stove, furnace or fire place, which does away with the necessity of keeping two or three kinds of fuel for one house, where the grades are not too large, the nut coal that we deliver at 87 per ton will suit you first class. We receive orders at our Rosser Avenue office or telephone No. 12. Terms—spot cash with order. Hanbury & McNea.

Brandon, Nov. 17, 1893.

Messrs. Hanbury & McNea, Brandon.

Gentlemen,—I have used the Canadian Anthracite Coal in my office for two years, burning it in Gurney's Radiant Standard and find it the most satisfactory coal I ever used. Yours truly,

F. C. PATTERSON.

### The Summer Death Rates.

The greatest evidence of the dangers of Cholera, Malaria, Diarrhea, and Dysentery, is the increase in the death rate of all the leading cities during the summer months. Men and women cannot be too careful of their habits of life during the heated terms, and particular attention should be paid to the diet of children. A supply of Perry Davis' Pain Killer should always be at hand, for it is the only medicine that can be relied on at all times as safe, sure and speedy. A tea spoonful will cure any ordinary case; but in severe attacks it is occasionally necessary to bathe the sufferer's stomach with the Pain Killer. All reputable druggists have it for sale. 25 cents price per large bottle.

### The Family Medicine

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W. H. COMSTOCK, Brockville.  
Dear Sir—For a number of years I have used and sold your "Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills." I consider them the very best for "Family Use," and all my customers speak highly of them.  
Yours truly,  
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THIS delicious confection is nicely calculated to produce dyspepsia, heartburn, bilious troubles and headache. Burdock Blood Bitters is equally well calculated to cure these troubles and has proved its powers in hundreds of cases. B. B. B. regulates and purifies the bile system.

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### Time Table.

IN EFFECT FRIDAY, JUNE 2.

A Mixed Freight and Passenger train, running both ways, on the route, arrive and depart as follows:

Going north	Leave	STATIONS	Arrive
7:30	Leave	Brandon	7:30
8:45	"	Chatter	"
9:30	"	Ferret	"
10:40	"	Vernon	"
11:00	"	Papineau	"
11:40	"	Pettipiece	"
12:00	"	Oak River	"
12:15	Arrive	Hamilton	12:15

Meals going south east. Please station. Trains will not start there are passengers to get on or off.

Central Standard Time.

The right is reserved to make any change in this Time Table with or without notice.

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